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Re: Declaration and Power of Attorney for  
U. S. Patent Application No. 09/995,053  
Filing Date: November 27, 2001  
Our Ref: ZUIP102US

Dear Mr. Dill:

As requested, attached is the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified application.

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Docket No. ZUIP102US

PATENT

**COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY  
(ORIGINAL, DESIGN, NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT)**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Title: ROTATION DEVICE, METHOD FOR TRANSFERRING WORN ARTICLE, METHOD FOR FOLDING WEB, DEVICE FOR FOLDING WEB, AND DISPOSABLE WORN ARTICLE  
the specification of which

- (a) \_\_\_\_\_ is attached hereto.
- (b) X was filed on November 27, 2001 as Serial No. 09 / 995,053 or Express Mail No. \_\_\_\_\_, as Serial No. not yet known, and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).
- (c) \_\_\_\_\_ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_ and amended under PCT Article 19 on \_\_\_\_\_ (if any).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a).

**PRIORITY CLAIM**

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or of any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or any PCT international application(s) designating at least one country other than the United States of America filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed; also I hereby claim the benefit under 35 USC 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) that is/are listed below:

- (d) \_\_\_\_\_ no such applications have been filed.
- (e) X such applications have been filed as follows.

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(6 MONTHS FOR DESIGN) PRIOR TO THIS U.S. APPLICATION**

| COUNTRY | APPLICATION NUMBER | DATE OF FILING<br>(day, month, year) | PRIORITY CLAIMED<br>UNDER 35 USC 119 |
|---------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Japan   | 2000-366782        | December 1, 2000                     | <u>X</u> Yes _____ No _____          |
| Japan   | 2001-085164        | March 23, 2001                       | <u>X</u> Yes _____ No _____          |
|         |                    |                                      | Yes _____ No _____                   |

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**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. (List name and registration number)

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The undersigned to this declaration and power of attorney hereby authorizes the U.S. attorney(s) named herein to accept and follow instructions from

Name(s) of authorized representative(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

as to any actions to be taken in the Patent and Trademark Office regarding this application without direct communication between the U.S. attorney(s) and the undersigned. In the event of a change in the person(s) from whom instructions may be taken, the U.S. attorney(s) will be so notified by the undersigned.

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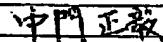
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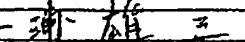
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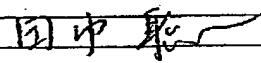
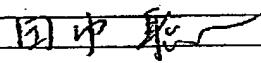
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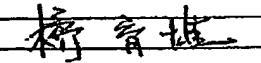
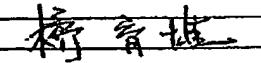
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